

In the Specification

Please replace the first paragraph on page 1 of the specification with the following paragraph:

-- This application is the National Stage of International Application No. **PCT/US2004/036725**, filed **November 4, 2004**, which claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of provisional patent application entitled "A System and Method for Compressing, Encoding, Authoring, and Encrypting Data Content and Media, and the Application of Such Content to External Mobile Telephone Compatible or Personal Digital Assistant Compatible Memory Devices", Serial number **60/612,536**, filed **September 24, 2004**, now pending, which is hereby incorporated by reference.--